

1 State of Arkansas  
2 81st General Assembly  
3 Regular Session, 1997

# A Bill

SENATE BILL 362

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5 By: Senator Roebuck  
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## For An Act To Be Entitled

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9 "AN ACT TO AMEND ARKANSAS CODE § 24-11-430 TO INCREASE THE  
10 AMOUNT THAT POLICE PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS MAY GRANT FOR  
11 MEMBERS' FUNERAL EXPENSES TO FOUR THOUSAND DOLLARS  
12 (\$4,000); AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES."  
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## Subtitle

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15 "TO INCREASE THE AMOUNT THAT POLICE  
16 PENSION AND RELIEF FUNDS MAY GRANT FOR  
17 MEMBERS' FUNERAL EXPENSES."  
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19 BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS:  
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21 SECTION 1. Arkansas Code § 24-11-430 is amended to read as follows:  
22 "24-11-430. Funeral expenses.

23 (a) Whenever an active or retired police officer shall die or be  
24 killed, the board of trustees shall appropriate from the fund a sum of not  
25 less than one hundred dollars (\$100) nor more than ~~two thousand dollars~~  
26 ~~(\$2,000)~~ four thousand dollars (\$4,000) to pay the funeral expenses of the  
27 decedent.

28 (b) Each board of trustees shall adopt a policy establishing the amount  
29 to be paid for funeral expenses pursuant to this section, and the amount shall  
30 be awarded uniformly to all eligible persons.

31 (c) The board of trustees may change the amount of funeral expenses  
32 payable under this section, but, in that instance, the amount shall be  
33 uniformly distributed likewise.

34 (d) The effective date of the 1983 amendment to this section shall be  
35 retroactive to June 17, 1981."  
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1 SECTION 2. All provisions of this act of general and permanent nature  
2 are amendatory to the Arkansas Code of 1987 Annotated and the Arkansas Code  
3 Revision Commission shall incorporate the same in the Code.

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5 SECTION 3. If any provisions of this act or the application thereof to  
6 any person or circumstance is held invalid, the invalidity shall not affect  
7 other provisions or applications of the act which can be given effect without  
8 the invalid provisions or application, and to this end the provisions of this  
9 act are declared to be severable.

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11 SECTION 4. All laws and parts of laws in conflict with this act are  
12 hereby repealed.

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